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Highland Park Resident Reappointed to Lake County Board of Health

The Lake County Board has reappointed Harry B. (Hal) Axelrod of Highland Park to the Lake County Board of Health. His new term will run through June 30, 2006. The Board of Health oversees the programs and services of the Lake County Health Department/Community Health Center.

Axelrod, who joined the Board of Health in 2000, has been in the restaurant business for more than 25 years. He served as Director of Education for the Illinois Restaurant Association from 1998 to 2000 and is presently the Assistant Manager of the Sunset Ridge Country Club in Northfield. He previously managed restaurants for Morton Management and Levy Restaurants, and owned his own restaurant in Highland Park for seven years. He also taught in School District 108 and 109 in Highland Park and Deerfield. The Lake County Chapter of the Illinois Restaurant Association named him Chapter Member of the Year in 1996, and the Illinois Restaurant Association named him

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Member of the Year in 1997.

All members of the 12-member Board of Health volunteer their time. They are responsible for overseeing programs and developing policies for the Lake County Health Department and Community Health Center to promote physical and emotional health, prevent disease, injury and disability, and protect the environment.